

REMARKS:

In the January 24, 2006 Office Action, the Examiner notes that claims 1-66 are pending in the application, that claims 1-14, 17-21, 24-48, 51-55 and 58-66 are rejected and that claims 15, 16, 22, 23, 49, 50, 56 and 57 are objected to.

Specification

The specification has been amended to correct the typographical errors noted by the examiner. With respect to the Examiner's comment c, that "Figure 8" should read as "Figure 11," the applicant has reviewed the applicable figures and agrees with the Examiner that the reference to "Figure 8" is incorrect. However, applicant believes that "Figure 8" should read as "Figure 10" as opposed to "Figure 11" and has amended the specification accordingly.

Claim Amendments

Independent claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 15, which the Examiner notes would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claims 2 through 14, and claims 17 through 20 are dependent upon claim 1, and therefore incorporate the limitations of claim 1, as amended. Claim 15 has been canceled because its limitations have been incorporated into claim 1. Claim 16 has been amended to change its dependency from claim 15 to claim 1.

Independent claim 21 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 22, which the Examiner notes would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 22 has therefore been canceled. Claim 23 has been amended to change its dependency from claim 22 to claim 21. Claims 24 through 32 are dependent upon claim 21, and therefore incorporate the limitations of claim 21, as amended.

Independent claim 33 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 49, which the Examiner notes would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 49 has therefore been canceled. Claims 34 through 48 and claims 51 through 54 are dependent upon claim 33, and therefore incorporate the limitations of claim 33, as amended. Claim 50, which was originally

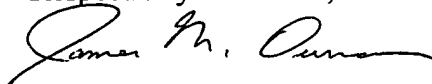
1 dependent upon claim 49, has been amended to change its dependency to claim 48.

2 Independent claim 55 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of claim 56, which
3 the Examiner notes would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. Claim 56 has therefore
4 been canceled. Claim 57 is amended to change its dependency from claim 56 to claim 55. Claim
5 57 has also been corrected to correct the reference to "the battery storage compartment", which
6 has no antecedent basis, to "a battery storage compartment". Claim 58 has been amended to
7 change its dependency from claim 55 to claim 57. Claims 59 through 66 are dependent upon
8 claim 55, and therefore incorporate the limitations of claim 55, as amended.

9 Applicant respectfully submits that this submission is fully responsive to the January 24,
10 2006 Office Action, and these claims are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a Notice of
11 Allowance at an early date is therefore requested.

12 If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this
13 application, please telephone the undersigned at (661)395-1000.

14 Respectfully submitted,

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